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FM AMEMBASSY BERN
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 6788
INFO USMISSION GENEVA

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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PINS, SZ
SUBJ: TWA HIJACKING GENEVA

REF: STATE 216583

1. HAVE CONVEYED ORALLY OUR EXPRESSION OF
GRATITUDE TO AMB HEGNER, CHIEF OF POLITICAL
SECTION I OF THE FED POLITICAL DEPT AND HEAD OF
THE SWISS CRISIS GROUP.
2. SINCE SWISS WERE UNABLE TO DEFINITELY
IDENTIFY PERPETRATOR, DID NOT CONVEY MESSAGE
CONCERNING PROSECUTION. DID, HOWEVER, MENTION
THAT HAD SUCH IDENTIFICATION BEEN POSSIBLE, WE
WOULD HAVE MADE SUCH A REQUEST.
3. IN COMMENTING ON CRISIS, HEGNER SAID ONE
PROBLEM WAS ESTABLISHING DIRECT LINE TO WASHINGTON
CRISIS GROUP. HE IS PURSUING THIS PROBLEM WITH
SWISS PTT TO AVOID FUTURE EXPERIENCES OF THIS KIND.
4. WILL FOLLOW UP WITH WRITTEN COMMUNICATION.
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